

Amendments to the Specifications

On page 11, please replace the first full paragraph with the following paragraph:

This printing head (20) is linked to the taximeter (1) by a cord (21) and one or two connectors (12, 22). The engaging of the connectors (12, 22) is latched mechanically by a latch, appropriate lugs, a cap or any other equivalent system which prevents untoward disconnection. Hence, disconnection can be deliberate only. In the form illustrated, the management of the printing functions is carried out directly by the single electronic card (4) of the taximeter (1), ~~this thus~~ making it possible to reduce the cost of the assembly. Nevertheless, the invention also covers the variants in which the whole of the printer is sited everywhere, provided that the principle of the invention is compiled with, that is to say that there is a detachable link between the printing member and the sealed taximeter. Such is the situation for a taximeter possessing a first main electronic card, and a second electronic card specific to the printing functions controlling a printing head sited elsewhere.